





# The Breckenridge News.

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## The Perfect Pan.

A perfect pan makes good sense both ways; the edges must be thick like the blades of a sharp pair of shears. Sometimes the very thoughts fit together in antagonistic identity, as when the man said to me, "I am a first-growth; that is, I am a first-growth; I think you very much, I shall lose no time in reading it; or as when a man, seeing a poor piece of carpentry, said, "That chicken coop looks as if some man had made it himself." Exquisite perverse literariness of thought! And the same absolute punning, the very self-destructive of a proposition, was the old death thrust at a poor poet by the friend who said, "His poetry will be read when Shakespeare and Homer are forgotten." It is a double-edged blade of speech with some crude fellow, Heine, I think, sharpened it to a wire edge by adding, "and not till then." I actually that quilled its performance forever—J. A. May in Atlantic.

## Remarkable Lunar Rainbows.

I recall many lunar rainbows during the half century since I was an observant boy and, if memory serves me, one lunar rainbow during the last half of the perfect of those bows that I recall I saw on the edge of Darlington, S. C. I was in a road leading north, with extensive fields and meadows, hence my opportunity. The full moon had just risen above the tops of the distant woods, and the low in the west was perfect. The apex of the bow was noticeably less than the span of a sun rainbow, but its depth, or thickness, was proportionately much greater. The rainbow colors were distinct, but pale as if the arch were built of pale mother-of-pearl, and they changed and faded less rapidly than the sun rainbows I have seen.

When in camp on John's island, South Carolina, I saw a brilliant sun rainbow with one foot of the arch so near we could stand on it or pass behind and in front of it, but we did not "dig for gold."—Macon Cor. Scientific American.

## Nelson's Famous Signal.

It is a fact that Nelson's famous signal to the fleet at Trafalgar was in its original form, "England's confides" not "expects" that every man will do his duty. This is the story as given by Captain Price, Nelson's flag lieutenant on the Victory: "The lordship came to me on the poop, and after ordering certain signals to be made about a quarter to seven he said, 'My dear fellow, I will say to the fleet, 'England confides that every man will do his duty.' And he added, 'You are to make sure that I have one more to make, which is for close action.' I replied, 'If your lordship will permit me to substitute 'expects' for 'confides' in the signal, it will soon be completed, because the word 'expects' is in the vocabulary, whereas 'confides' must be spelled. His lordship replied in haste and with seeming satisfaction, 'That will do; make it directly.' And the famous signal was made—London Chronicle.

## There Was a Lizard.

An Irishman was walking into the shop of a barber to get shaved. After being properly seated and the barber had applied the razor was called to an adjoining room where he was detained for some time. The barber had in the shop as a pet a monkey, which was continually imitating its master. As soon as the Irishman left the room the monkey grabbed the brush and proceeded to finish shaving the Irishman's face. After doing this he took a razor from its case, stropped it and then turned to the Irishman to shave him.

"Stop that!" said Pat. "You can take the towel in me neck and put the soap on me face, but, begorah, yer father's got to shave me."

## Louis the Great's Size.

Louis the Great had even and tolerably regular features without any strongly marked characteristics. By all his contemporaries he was considered a tall man, but he had a way of raising his head, surmounted by the monstrous crown, and of swelling his chest

## READ THIS.

Louisville, Ky., June 13, 1901.  
Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: Since taking the agency for the sale of your kidney remedy, Hall's Great Discovery, a year ago, we have sold several gross, and have never heard a complaint. We have many customers to praise the curative qualities of your preparation every day. One of the most remarkable cures have been reported to us of parties that have been cured of kidney troubles by the use of a bottle of your Discovery, where all other preparations have failed. Wishing you success with your great remedy, I beg to remain, Very respectfully,  
T. P. TAYLOR & CO.

## A TEXAS WONDER

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates the bowels in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

that counted the impression of danger, for when the squelchers of the kings were violated by the convention and his body was dragged out of his coffin it was measured and found a trifle over five feet six inches.

## A Fortune in His Leg.

During the reign of Queen Elizabeth an English gentleman of wealth named Corbet, of a distinguished family near Shrewsbury, but that his leg was the handiwork in the country or kingdom and staked estates worth \$80,000 on the subject. He won the wager, and a picture is still preserved in the family mansion representing the process of measuring the legs of the different contestants.

## Not Encouraging.

"But," said the persistent tutor, "I were to prove to you that I would go to the ends of the earth for you." "First," replied the Boston girl, "you would have to prove to me that the earth really has ends, and that, because, is quite impossible."—Philadelphia Press.

## Virgins.

Virgins are more than man either water or fire. I have seen men die from treading on water and fire, but I have never seen a man die from treading the course of virtue.—Confucius.

## Concerning Shoes.

Customers of notice wear shoes in the window that you have labeled "Temperance Shoes." What kind of shoes are they? Dealer—They are warranted not to be tight.

## In Time of Peace.

In the first month of the Russo-Japanese war we had a striking example of the necessity of preparation and the early advantage of those who, so to speak, "have shingled their roofs in dry weather." The virtue of preparation has made history and given to us our greatest men. The individual as well as the nation should be prepared for any emergency. Are you prepared to successfully combat the first cold you take? A cold can be cured much more quickly when treated as soon as it has been contracted and before it has become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures for colds and it should be kept at hand ready for instant use. For sale by Short & Haynes, Cleverport.

## A Desperate Case.

Walk O. Nights-Dor, what is a simple remedy for sleeplessness? Doctor—Let the patient count till he falls asleep. Walk O. Nights—He can't count. It is the baby.

The house we receive of those who bear and stand in awe of us is no truce.—Montaigne.

## San Lost Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a cough or cold, I have taken Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Mr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble need not be neglected and how to cure it. Quicker relief and cure for coughs and colds. Price 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed at Short & Haynes' drug store. Trial bottle free.

**Animal Having the Most Teeth.**  
The animal having the most teeth is the great armadillo of South Central and northern South America. It is a fact well known to most people that the armadillo has a large number of teeth. In mammals is thirty-two to thirty-six above and the same number below. The great armadillo, however, is an exception. It has from 32 to 36 teeth. He has from twenty-four to twenty-six in each side of the upper jaw and from twenty-two to twenty-four in each side of the lower jaw. Another peculiar feature is the fact that they are all molars or grinders. They increase in size from front to back, instead of from the front, and are widely distinct of number.

## Jury Snubbing.

Mexico has an ingenious plan for facilitating juries in jury trials. Two supplementary juries are drawn to sit near the jury box and listen to the evidence and arguments. If any of the regular jury fails or is otherwise disqualified from going on, one of the "spares" takes his place. In this way they avoid what is often seen in American courts, trial rendered useless when it is nearly finished by the sudden illness or death of one juror.

## Madrid's Night Watchmen.

Madrid still has the medieval night watchmen. They admit late comers to the apartment houses at night, but no longer sing out the hour or the condition of the weather. They still go by the name of "serenos," which they got from the fact that, as it seldom rains in Spain, their cry about the weather generally ended with the word "¡as tres y sereno!"

## Just Hebbles.

"Ma!"  
"What is it now?"  
"I wanna better piece cake?"  
"No, Jimmy, you had enough."  
"Aw, ma! Yer always tellin' me I don't eat properly, an' nen you never give me no chance to practice!"—Cleveland Leader.

## Too Much of a Good Thing.

Dobson—What became of that man who had twenty-seven legs for saving people from drowning? Dock Worker—He fell in one day when he had them all on, and the weight of 'em sunk him.

## Accent on the Operatic Stage.

No Englishman with daughters could do a rather thing than permit them to take lessons from eminent professors with a view of going on the stage. The opera stage is English and strictly English. At Covent Garden a woman who can speak good English can only get in by force of social influence, and about a foreigner has very great difficulty because she cannot speak or sing with a perfect accent. The foreign lady or gentleman comes over here on an occasion to sing, and then sing in English, and their mistakes bring nothing more than a smile to the faces of the audience. But on the English stage singer goes to France or Germany, and something totally different happens.

In 1807 Tanneguy sang at Monte Carlo before an audience which was mainly French. He mispronounced a word, and a peal of derisive laughter covered even his stentorian notes. In Brussels I heard an American tenor laugh at that, because some of his vowels were not quite pure—Brussels, where their French is the most villainous patois I have ever heard. In Germany I have heard both French and English artists laughed at because their accent was not absolutely correct.—London Saturday Review.

## Russian Discipline.

General Gortchakov, the Russian military expert, rose from the ranks and always dressed according to the army regulations for the common soldier. One day while driving about St. Petersburg in his carriage he noticed a soldier with hair longer than the regulations called for. He had the horses stopped, alighted and, taking off his hat, ordered the soldier to seize him by the hair. The soldier hesitated. He feared to lay violent hands on his general, but he was ordered to do so. The general surveyed the soldier sternly for a few moments, then, turning his fingers in the latter's locks, he gently wiped up the sweat with him, the victim not daring to resist. Finally, having impressed the lesson thoroughly, he reentered his carriage and drove on, ordering the soldier to follow. At the first barber's shop they came to he again alighted and had every vestige of hair shaved from the soldier's head, then turned him loose as a horrible example to his fellows.

Do not be deceived by counterfeits when you wish Hazel Salve. The name of E. C. DeWitt & Co. is on every box of the genuine. Piles in their worst form will pass away when you will apply DeWitt's Hazel Salve night and morning. Best for Cuts, Burns, Boils, Tetter, Eczema, etc. Sold by all Druggists.

## A Hat Story.

A Birmingham (Ala.) man told a somewhat remarkable story the other day, vouching for its truth by saying that he was the wearer of one of the hats. He walked into the dining room of a hotel one day, putting his inside the one on the hatrack. When he left the dining room he found that his hat had been taken and the other man's hat put on. There was nothing to do but take it and he content. He came north, and at a hotel he had swapping performance was again repeated. Some one took from the dining room hatrack the one taken by the story teller from the Atlanta hotel.

A few days later the Atlanta man recognized at the same hotel the hat he had lost. He took it. He went south a few days later and stayed at the hotel he had occupied on his former visit. One day when he entered the dining room there was only one hat on the rack. He placed his own beside it. When he left the dining room and picked up the one hat left he found it was the one he had lost there the year before.—New York Tribune.

## Hints About Screws.

Where screws are driven into soft wood and subjected to considerable strain they are very likely to work loose, and it is often difficult to make them hold. In such cases the use of glue is profitable. Make the glue thin, immerse a stick about half the size of the screw and put it into the hole. Then put in the screw and drive it home as quickly as possible. When there is an article of furniture to be hastily repaired and no glue is at hand, bore a hole, insert the stick, fill the rest of the cavity with pulverized rosin, then heat the screw sufficiently to melt the rosin as it is driven in. Where screws are driven into wood for temporary purposes they can be more easily removed by dipping them in oil before inserting. When buying screws, notice that the heads are small and well cut, that there are no flaws in the threads, a stick about half the size of the screw and put it into the hole. Then put in the screw and drive it home as quickly as possible. 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**Tonic Effect of Laughter.**  
We are not disposed to say anything about the physiology of laughter, but we are prepared to affirm that as a tonic there is nothing within the possibilities of human experience that can match a good, hearty laugh. There is something democratic about it, in that it makes it impossible to distinguish whether it is a prince or a plebeian who is moved to merriment. Hardly greater remedy could be procured than to wrest the power of song from the birds, but that would be a small calamity compared with the withholding of laughter from life. If the conditions of this world could be such as to afford to every human being the frequent enjoyment of a pure, hearty peal of laughter, there would be no need that other favors be conferred. (This alone would be ample testimony that happiness was paramount in the lives of men.—Baltimore Herald.)

**"Shoddy."**  
It is old word redressed by scientific and clean methods. It is a component of most of the woollen garments of today. The world does not grow enough wool to enable us to have a constant supply of new woollen garments except with the aid of shoddy. It is shoddy that has enabled the workman to buy a new suit of clothes at the price of a week's wage. In the olden days an old woollen garment was so expensive that it had to last its owner many years unless he were a wealthy man. It is better hygiene for a man to buy two new shoddy suits a year than to buy an old wool garment which must last him two years. Most of the clothes we wear, in fact, contain an element of shoddy and, so far from being the worse for it, are the better.—Magazine of Commerce.

**Tearing Cards.**  
To tear a pack of cards in two is regarded by some as a marvelous feat of strength, and yet the trick is possible to any one with fairly strong fingers. The secret of the trick lies in the fact that the entire pack is not torn at once, but in pretending to get a grip on the pack the strong man so manipulates the cards that they overlap. In this way but a single card is torn at a time, and once the surface is torn the rest is easy. To any one who can hold a pack of cards firmly the trick is fairly easy, and while in older times a single pack of cards was considered to give the holder strength many of our strong men tear three and four packs at a time. The cards are restored to their original form before being given out for examination, and so the trick escapes detection.

**A Wonderful Banyan Tree.**  
The finest botanical gardens in the world are justly claimed by Calcutta, that city of "palaces and poets" and "strangers." The stranger visiting the gardens for the first time will find his wonder and admiration excited by the appearance of an immense tree, the branches of which form a sort of arch in its weeping willow, and when a branch is sufficiently long its extremity is inclined in an upward curve, and in turn sends out more branches. This instance the operation has been noted until the tree now measures 100 feet in circumference, at its base, and has attained a height of eighty-five feet. It forms a veritable maze, a marvel to the occidental eye.

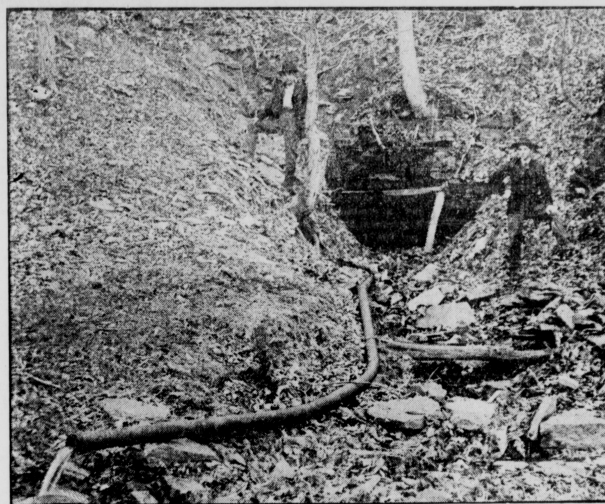
**Irving and Hamlet.**  
"Hamlet" was the first play Sir Henry Irving saw as a boy. Samuel Phelps was in the title role. Some time after, when Phelps was persuaded to listen to a recitation by Irving, and after praising the young man the celebrated actor gave him this characteristic view: "Young man, have nothing to do with the stage. It is a bad profession."

**Considerate.**  
"Well, Tommy, are you very good to your little sister?" asked the friend of the family.  
"Sure," replied Tommy. "I eat all the candy 'cause it makes her sick!"—Philadelphia Record.

## The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in the country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it. Heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the blood-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.  
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## A View of Buttermilk Falls, One Mile East of Brandenburg.



**A Gambler's Superstition.**  
They were playing a quiet rubber of whist and had called for a new deck of cards. One of the players was an old timer, a card player of years of experience, and he took up the old worn-out cards and put them on the window sill. "Throw them in the fire," said the young man who was his partner. "What?" said the elder. "Throw a pack of cards in the fire? Young man, you don't know what you are talking about. I wouldn't do it for \$10,000." "Why not?" "Superstition," was the answer. "Hurl a pack of cards and they'll never give you another hand and they'll mock you to the last. They're bad enough at best, but you never saw a gambler curse the cards or abuse them or burn them or otherwise ill treat them. He doesn't dare to. I know a 'successful' card player who did it. He was dwelling on velvet then. In a year he was a beggar, and he never won a game worth mentioning forever after. It's a whim, but the gentlemen of the club of green respect it. They won't burn a card, but the gentlemen of the club of green respect it."

**Man's Unreasonableness.**  
is often exaggerated as a woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable, when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble. "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try electricity." Blitters, my wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Blitters, she was perfectly cured, and can now perform all her household duties. (Characterized by S. H. Hayes, druggist, price 50c.)

**Federal Appointments.**  
Last Wednesday President Roosevelt announced the following federal appointments for Western Kentucky:  
R. T. Franks, of Owensboro, collector of internal revenue, appointed for third term.  
T. A. Craft, collector of internal revenue at Louisville.  
Wm. G. Dearing, of Flemingsburg, to be receiver of the port of Louisville, vice C. M. Bennett.  
George W. Long, of Leitchfield, to be United States marshal for the Western district of Kentucky, vice Addison D. James.  
Reuben D. Hill to be United States attorney for the Western districts.

**New Rural Route.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—Rural route No. 1, ordered established serving 401 people at Ekron, Meade county, February 1, and 110 houses.

**Certainly Slams.**  
Judging from the number of spoiled ballots in the Mook precinct, in Breckenridge county, the average Mook voter does not know enough to scratch a ticket.—Meade County Messenger.

Now that Lewisport has electric lights, we may soon expect Skillman to follow, but Cloverport—never.—Hancock Chronicle.

**To Recommend Normal School.**  
The biennial report to the general assembly of State Superintendent of Schools Faqua will contain a strong recommendation for an appropriation and provision for the establishment of a normal school at Frankfort for teachers, and in this recommendation the superintendent will have the earnest backing and support of the State Educational association.

The art of being able to make good use of moderate abilities often confers more reputation than real merit.—Rochester Herald.

**A Card.**  
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**His Lunacy Under Control.**  
Sho-Skipper I went to die, what would you do? He—I should be almost crazy. She—Would you marry again? He—Well, I would hardly be as crazy as that.—Judge.

**An Anxious Wife.**  
Lady—Do you think this medicine would do my husband any good? Bring it—I'm sure it would, madam. Lady—Hum! What other kinds have you got?—Exchange.

**Misleading.**  
Tabbs—I flatter myself that honesty is printed on my face. Grubbs—Well, yes, yes, perhaps, with some allowance for typographical errors.

**Species of Book Collectors.**  
In this age of specialization even so simple a subject as book collecting is subdivided in a complex, scientific way. Book collectors of the twentieth century fall naturally into three classes: Bibliophile—An indiscriminate, emotional collector. Bibliologist—A learned collector, very expert in inquiries, first editions and the technicalities. Bibliograph—A collector who writes about his collections.

Biblioider—A cautious collector who keeps his books always under lock and key in glass cases. Bibliophile—A real lover of books, one who looks only to the pleasure of reading them.—Minneapolis Journal.

**The Exact Thing Required for Constipation.**  
As a certain purgative and stomach purifier, Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets seem to be the exact thing required, strong enough for the most robust, yet mild enough and safe for children and without that terrible griping so common to most purgatives. Say R. S. Webster & Co., Utica, Ontario, Canada. For sale by Short & Haynes, Cloverport.

**Looking Forward.**  
"Progress is becoming extremely rapid."  
"Yes, indeed. In the year 3000 or so lightning will have to get a move on if it wants to be considered fast."

**Lucky Patients.**  
"Did you ever make any mistakes, doctor?"  
"Well, I've had several patients get well that I expected would die."

**President's Message, December 5.**  
It has been decided that President Roosevelt's forthcoming annual message to Congress will be submitted to the Senate and House of Representatives on Tuesday, December 5.

**W. T. Tilford Heavily in Debt.**  
Ulysses Whalin, of Prentiss, Ohio county, filed a petition in office of Deputy Clerk Lindsay, of the United district court, at Owensboro, Wednesday, asking that he be adjudged a bankrupt. Whalin is engaged in the general merchandise business at Prentiss. His schedule shows liabilities amounting to \$7,997.07 and assets of \$3,328.06. It is stated in the petition that liabilities to the amount of \$6,610 are debts contracted by W. T. Tilford, of Owensboro, and ought to be paid by him. Tilford is a former merchant of Cloverport.

**What Not to Lead.**  
Douglas Jerrold, the celebrated w.t. said: "There are three things that no man but a fool leads, or, having lent, is not in the most helpless state of mental crossness if he ever hopes to get back again. These three things are books, money and umbrellas. I believe a certain fiction of the law assumes a remedy against the borrower, but I know of no case in which any man, being sufficiently dastard to gild his reputation as plaintiff in such a suit, ever fairly succeeded against the whole-some prejudices of society. Umbrellas may be lodged about by colver's statute, I will not swear that it is not so. There may be laws that make such things property, but I am sure that the hissing contempt, the loud mounted indignation of all civilized society would subside and roar at the bloodless potlone who should engage law on his side to obtain for him the restitution of a lent umbrella."

**The Painter Won.**  
Often have painters and sculptors discussed the relative merits of painting and sculpture. A story is told of an artist who resented the disparaging comparisons made by a sculptor and laid a wager that he could within a given time paint a picture which should display the human figure as completely as any sculptor could. The wager was accepted, and upon the appointed day a painting was produced which fulfilled all the conditions. It represented a warrior, his back to the spectator, leaning over a short of water, in the limp posture of which were reflected his entire face and form. To the right a suit of polished armor hung and above back a full length profile image, while a mirror performed a like office for the left side. The sculptor, of course, handed over the money staked.—Paris Journal.

But few people are entirely free from indigestion at this season of the year. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is not only the best remedy to use because it digests what you eat but because it also enables the digestive apparatus to assimilate and transform all foods into tissue-building food. Kodol relieves sour stomach, heart burn, belching, and all forms of indigestion. Sold by all Druggists.

**The Tail of the Comet.**  
It is only one of the most wonderful of all the phenomena that confront us in the study of nature that the tail of the comet, visible through such a vast area of space, is one of the most transparent of objects. The tail of the comet is much more transparent than the earth's atmosphere, as this at its best would in look act as an opaque curtain. But stars are seen almost as distinctly through the comet's tail as through the adjacent atmosphere. Complete change their form and appearance with the utmost rapidity and finally black steadily away from the sun, like a courier out of the royal presence.

**Legend of the Tulip.**  
Centuries ago, by the waters of the Bosphorus, the Persian lover sought a flower with scarlet petals and heart of gold. We call it the tulip. To him it was the emblem of love. In Persia, parts of Asia and on the shores of the Mediterranean, the tulip grows. Today the tulip beds near Haarlem are among the wonders of that quaint Dutch town. Though once the symbol of love, in our modern floral language the tulip stands for inconstancy. She is called flouting and bold. Good calls her "a saucy queen."

**The Sign.**  
A famous cranologist strolling through a churchyard found a grave digger tossing up the earth in which there were two or three skulls. The cranologist took them up and, after considering one a little time, said, "Ah, this is the skull of a philosopher." "Very likely, your honor," replied the grave digger, "Sure, I noticed it was somewhat cracked."

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### THOUGHTS.

"The man of business who has never soiled his hands with ill-gotten wealth; who has never taken undue advantage of his neighbor in a monetary transaction; whose word was his bond; the man who has punctually paid his honest debts; who has never sheltered himself behind a legal technicality to escape a financial obligation; the man who in every vicissitude of trade and commerce, in adversity, as well as in prosperity, has maintained the honor of his good name—in a word all honor to the man who has passed through the perils and battles of commercial life with a character unblemished—such a man, I hold, is more worthy of our esteem and veneration than the victorious general who returns in triumph from a prolonged war. For surely a business campaign is usually more protracted and requires more persevering energy and courage than a military conquest."—Cardinal Gibbons.

It will be a great triumph for citizens when the election hoodlums are all put in the penitentiary.

If you can't have turkey, have a chicken, if not a chicken then a beefsteak. If you fall down on these then go after the bacon and be thankful.

The Armours have cornered the turkey market in Kentucky and the prices have gone up to 30 cents a pound in the east. It is just a little matter of \$80,000 to the Armours.

Old man Northern, now a citizen of Harrod, will celebrate his ninety-fifth Thanksgiving, a little decrepit but seemingly good for the century mark. He is probably the oldest man in the county.

Just think of the thousands of Russians who will celebrate their Thanksgiving by sitting in a snowbank surveying the ruins of their homes and the graves of their families, and giving thanks that they are alive.

Lewisport has an up-to-date electric light plant, built by a home man and run by him. Mr. J. C. Emmick is the builder and the owner. He understands machinery and electricity and does all the work himself, and consequently his plant is run at a very small expense. His plant is paying him from the start. We ought to have an Emmick in Cloverport.

"There is no royal road to success," says a great writer. What a man needs is plenty of pluck and lots of hard work to engage in any kind of business successfully. Every young man starting out in life may find very sure of success and reward if he will keep everlastingly at it. So if you are despondent and depressed, cheer up, take fresh courage, do your part and you will win out in the end.

FORDSVILLE people are in high glee over the prospects of a new railroad coming into that town. They say the line has been located to Dundee, Will Dean's town at Hines' mill and the surveyors are now surveying two or three routes from that place to Fordsville. And from Fordsville it will come on to Cloverport. If it comes our way we will be thankful. If not we'll be thankful for those who have no railroad.

NEITHER Democrats nor Republicans deny the fact that votes were bought and sold in the recent election. There is a law against bribery in elections and the man who sells or buys a vote is subject to the enforcement of that law. These matters will all be brought to light in the pending contest. The thing to do is to enforce the law and bring the guilty parties to an account. This is the only way to stop this bribery in elections. If we had a Folk in this county with the courage of his convictions we would have decent elections.

AS LONG as we have elections and the nomination of candidates who are the enforced choice of a set of machine bosses, who dictate the nominations regardless of the free will of the people, so long will we have a corrupt ballot. There is only one way to destroy the power of the political machine and to provide elections that are actually by the will of the people and that is through direct nominations, whereby the voters of the several parties are enabled themselves to select their candidates. The root of the present evil is the power of the bosses to dictate nominations.

Tobacco buyers are in the field and taking the weed pretty freely at \$6, \$8 and \$2 for dark and \$5.50 and \$7 round for burley. When you look into consideration the fact that the crop this year is a little less than half what it was last year the prices are not in proportion to the output. In 1904, this county, according to the assessors' books, raised 5,999,381 pounds of tobacco. The books show the crop for 1905 to be 2,573,800 pounds, a little less than half. The crop sold last year at about the same figures as this year, with a full crop. Do our farmers realize the shortage or do they pay any attention to statistics? In Davless and Hancock counties the buyers are taking the crop as they go at \$8, \$8 and \$2. They claim these prices are being paid to break up the pool, but it's a short crop and they want the tobacco.

THE election contest that is on in this county seems to be exciting very little comment by either party concerned. Republicans, as a general thing, are not taking much stock in it. The more conservative ones don't see much in the outcome, even if the election is set

aside. The same old fight will have to be gone over, involving a big lot of expense, time and trouble, with no certainty as to the results. If the Republicans had clean hands themselves they might have a better show. It is a well-known fact that money and whiskey was used pretty freely on both sides, the only difference being that the Democrats had more of both, with more expert handlers. The election was a rotten one from start to finish. This fact no one deigns to deny; and the only good thing that can come out of the contest will be to show to the people the extent of it and open their eyes to the crimes committed on a free ballot by the leaders of both parties.

## Wants.

Advertisements inserted under this head at one cent a word per week.

### WANTED.

WANTED—Everybody to advertise their wants in this column. It will save you time and money.

FOR SALE—Form of 1904, two miles south of Harrod, suitable for stock, fruit or any other farm use and all other stock, farming implements and some household goods. Terms made known on Tuesday, December 12, day of sale. E. T. Randolph, Ad. 1000, Ky.

FOR SALE—One two-horse wagon, pair of black horse mares, aged 7 and 11 years old. For further particulars address Harrod, Driskel, Harrod, Ky.

FOR SALE—Rifle, 22 long, "Marcel," in good condition, fine stock and band. A bargain at \$2. Jno. D. Babbage, Jr.

FOR SALE—Fine country sorghum, put up in good condition, 500 gallons. Best ref. Jno. D. Babbage, Jr.

FOR SALE—Good, strong, iron letter copier, for price and terms drop me a line or call on me at the store. J. D. Finkle, Cloverport, Ky.

EXCHANGE—New Cash Register for good notes. Apply at News office.

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—My residence in Cloverport, for price and terms drop me a line or call on me at the store. J. D. Finkle, Cloverport, Ky.

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Orchard, cheap. Apply at News office.

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good farm. Apply to Frank Elliott, Glasgow, Ky.

### FOR SALE—LAUNDRY OUTFIT.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a first-class laundry outfit, everything complete, for particulars, price and terms, address me at Glasgow, Ky. City & Station.

HOTEL, POOL AND BILLIARD PARLORS  
FOR SALE—The Planters Hotel Pool and Billiard Parlor in Lexington, Va. Address J. William Rummel, 44 Walnut street, Lexington, Ky.

### FOR SALE.

PRINTING Presses and Cutting machines and all kinds of good laundry machines. Address and send for price and terms. J. D. Finkle, 516 3rd Street, Lexington, Ky.

### FOR SALE—TUITION CERTIFICATE.

FOR SALE—Tuition Certificate in Bryant & Stratton's Business College, Lexington, Ky. For price and particulars write The Breckenridge News, Cloverport, Ky.

### New Postmaster.

Kate Hook has been appointed postmaster at Tarford, vice L. C. Tani, resigned.

### Meetings Largely Attended.

The meetings at the Baptist church are continuing this week, with afternoon and evening services daily, as during last week. The meetings are largely attended. Sunday evening every pew was occupied and extra seats had to be provided. There have been a number of conversions and much interest seems manifested in the meetings.

Rev. J. R. Johnson, of Cox's Creek, is delivering strong and earnest sermons at each service. Rev. Currie, of the Methodist church, and members of other churches are assisting. Rev. Lewis and Rev. Johnson for the success of the meetings.

### Blind Horse Safely Walks Trestle.

A very remarkable thing happened over on the Branch last Saturday, says Chas. Chamberlain. "Nothing like it ever occurred before in the history of railroad." "A blind horse was on the track just below McNulty. Ahead of him was a short trestle. He was going at a pretty good trot and on to the trestle he went. I stopped my train and made sure I would have to haul him off the trestle with two or three legs broken, but, to my surprise, he walked that trestle, hitting every tie and got over without a halt. Never saw anything to beat it—even a horse with two good eyes."

### Shoots at Negro in Cellar.

Mrs. Jacob Weatherholt had an exciting experience Monday afternoon when a negro who entered the cellar at her home in Eastland, probably for the purpose of robbery. About 1:30 o'clock she heard a noise in the cellar. Supposing a dog had been fastened up she went into the cellar, and saw an unknown negro hiding behind some barrels. Hurrying into the house she secured a revolver and returned, to find the negro fleeing towards Emize's farm, in the rear of the house. She fired twice at him but neither shot took effect.

### BEWLEYVILLE.

Mrs. Bettie Helt is visiting Mrs. Ella Compton.

The W. F. M. S. held an interesting meeting Saturday afternoon.

Messrs. Harry Bell and Sam Carden, of Guston, were here Sunday attending church.

left Saturday for Clifton Mills, to visit his mother.

Miss Lulu Nonneley is the guest of Mrs. G. A. Foote.

Mr. and Mrs. Frakes, of Irvington, were here Sunday attending church.

### Death of Miss Sallie Withers.

Miss Sallie Withers, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Withers, of Kirk, died Sunday night at 12 o'clock. She was taken ill several weeks ago and a complication followed. Miss Withers was about eighteen years of age. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, the interment being at McNulty.

### HENDERSON ROUTE NOTES.

One way second class colonist tickets to South and Southeast first and third Tuesdays each month at reduced rates.

Home-seekers Excursions to all points to which home-seekers' rates apply.

### Thanksgiving Rates, Nov. 30.

For Thanksgiving, rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip between local points, minimum 35 cents, will be made on Nov. 29 and 30, good to return Dec. 4.

### Christmas and New Year's Holidays.

For these holidays, rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip between local points will be made with a minimum of 50 cents. Date of sale, Dec. 23-24-25-30-31 and January 1, good returning January 4.

Special home-seekers' excursions to the Southwest Nov. 21 and Dec. 15 and 19.

### Important Change of Time on The Southern Railway.

On Friday, December 1 the following changes in time of Southern Railway trains will become effective—

No. 1 now leaving Louisville at 7:40 a. m. will depart at 8:00 a. m.

No. 9 now leaving Louisville at 3:50 p. m. will depart at 3:30 p. m.

No. 23 now leaving Louisville at 7:25 p. m. will depart at 7:45 p. m.

No. 24 now leaving Lexington at 6:10 a. m. will depart at 5:45 a. m.

No. 2 now leaving Lexington at 5:30 p. m. will depart at 5:00 p. m.

Corresponding changes will be made at local stations and passengers intending to use these trains should consult ticket agents for complete information.

C. H. Hangerford, D. P. A.

and visiting Mrs. Thos. Hardaway.

Mrs. R. H. Roe, of Irvington, was here Sunday attending church and was the guest with the pastor of Mrs. Blanford.

John Cox has been sick several days. Mr. Compton and daughter, Lena, Mrs. Fletcher Blanford will be a guest at Fair Lawn for Thanksgiving.

E. S. Foote, with a friend, of Owensboro, is spending a few days here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Jolly, of Sample, who came to the burial of J. Beauchamp, remained a few days to visit relatives.

Prof. Sherill, of Middletown, Ind., who assisted in the meeting, remained to give singing lessons.

Hosner and Laura Stitt, Irene Cain, Willie Cain and Elizabeth Foote are all on the sick list.

Mrs. Alonzo Bennett has gone to High Plains to visit her sister.

Mrs. Larkin and nephew, of Leitchfield, are guests of Mrs. Kate Jordan.

Our prominent services closed Friday night. Everybody agrees that every sermon was excellent. Nine persons joined the church Sunday. Two had joined previously. It was a great meeting and needs to be continued in the near future.

Nearly all the Masons of our vicinity assisted in the burial of Hardin Wilson at Livingston Sanday. The exercises were admirably conducted, it is said, with a large crowd present.

Thos. J. Jolly sold twenty-eight sheep to G. W. Richardson last week for \$150.

Thos. Anderson, who has been living on Mrs. Norton's, place has moved to town.

Golden Rod.

### Union Star Girl in Sad Plight.

The Louisville Herald stated Sunday that Miss Vina Banta, who is believed to be Miss Vina Bandy, of Union Star, was stranded in Louisville Saturday and forced to appeal to the Women's Aid Society for succor. The paper stated that she was in quest of Walter O'Neal, a relative said to be in the employ of the Big Four railroad, but failed to find him. The Chenault correspondent of the News states this week that Walter O'Neal, of Louisville, arrived there Sunday to visit friends and relatives, but it is not known whether there is any connection between the two men.

# H. MEYER,

## BIG SPRING, KY.

## SPECIAL SALE

Of Heavy  
Dress Goods  
and  
Ladies' Fine  
Cloaks  
and  
Jackets.



On account of mild weather we have on hand yet a fine selection of heavy Dress Goods, Ladies' Fine Cloaks and Jackets, which we shall dispose of at a great sacrifice. Original price will not be considered. Every garment must go regardless of cost. It will pay you to get in first in this sale.

## Prices on Overcoats and Suits Cut.

A big line of Overcoats must go at almost cost. Fine lot of them, too! Big, warm coats that give comfort in cold weather. Latest styles.

## SUITS!

We have one of the most complete stocks of Suits in the county. Any man can make a selection from the large variety. True values at almost cost.

## Skirts and Underwear

Our enormous line of Skirts and Underwear must go at cut prices. Nobby selections in Under-skirts. A fine lot of Underwear.



# H. MEYER,

## Big Spring, Ky.

# HAPPY HOME

Is one where health abounds.  
With impure blood there cannot  
be good health.  
With a disordered LIVER there  
cannot be good blood.

## Tutt's Pills

revivify the torpid LIVER and restore  
its natural action.

A healthy LIVER means pure  
blood.  
Pure blood means health.  
Health means happiness.  
Take no Substitute. All Druggists.

Clothing cleaned and pressed at  
Fortine's.

Harry Weatherholt was in Louisville  
Sunday.

J. S. Rodman was up from Owens-  
boro Monday.

Still a few bargains in shoes.—Bab-  
bage & Son.

Have your trousers cleaned and  
pressed by Fortine.

C. T. McClannan was at Mc-  
Daniels last week.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Keene returned  
Saturday to Owensboro.

Hot lunches and meals at all hours  
—English Kitchen.

Ladies skirts and coat suits cleaned,  
and pressed by Fortine.

Fresh fruits and celery for Thank-  
sgiving.—English Kitchen.

Jumbo pickles for Thanksgiving. Try  
them.—English Kitchen.

Oscar Dickey was at Elizabethtown  
last week visiting relatives.

Our bargains in shoes will continue  
this week.—Babbage & Son.

Fresh oysters served in all styles or  
sold in bulk.—English Kitchen.

Capt. and Mrs. J. B. Rowland re-  
turned last week from Custer.

Mrs. A. J. Gross, of Holt, was the  
guest of Mrs. O. DeHaven Saturday.

Mrs. J. P. Troutman arrived Fri-  
day from Owensboro for a visit here.

Misses Ambie Williams and Bessie  
Kere have been visiting at Stephens-  
port.

Mrs. J. H. Wills went to Hardin-  
burg Thursday to visit her sister,  
Mrs. Alfred Heston.

Miss Adella Moorman has returned  
from a visit to Mrs. Campbell at  
Hopkinsville.

Dorothy Gregory, of Brandenburg,  
has been visiting her grandmother,  
Mrs. Lucy Gregory.

Christmas tree picture moulding  
now in. Have your picture framed  
now.—Edward Gregory.

# RUTS

The walking sick, what  
a crowd of them there are:  
Persons who are thin and  
weak but not sick enough  
to go to bed.

"Chronic cases" that's  
what the doctors call them,  
which in common English  
means—long sickness.

To stop the continued  
loss of flesh they need  
Scott's Emulsion. For the  
feeling of weakness they  
need Scott's Emulsion.

It makes new flesh and  
gives new life to the weak  
system.

Scott's Emulsion gets  
thin and weak persons out  
of the rut. It makes new,  
rich blood, strengthens the  
nerves and gives appetite  
for ordinary food.

Scott's Emulsion can be  
taken as long as sickness  
lasts and do good all the  
time.

There's new strength  
and flesh in every dose.



We will be glad  
to send you a few  
doses free.

Be sure that this picture  
in the form of a label is on the  
wrapper of every bottle of  
Emulsion you buy.  
**SCOTT & BOWNE,**  
Chemists,  
409 Pearl St., N. Y.  
50c. and \$1; all druggists.

For this week only I will make six  
best cabinet photographs for one  
dollar.—Brabant's gallery.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Gledin, of Tell  
City, were en route Thursday on their  
wedding trip to Louisville.

Miss Olivia Fallon and Chas. Fallon  
were at Irvington Sunday the guests  
of their brother, J. M. Fallon.

Dr. J. F. Lightfoot came up from  
Hawesville Thursday for a short visit  
to his son, Dr. F. L. Lightfoot.

I will sell you wall paper and hang  
it cheaper than any one in Cloverport.  
Get my price.—Edward Gregory.

Now is the time to have your por-  
titure taken, six cabinet size for \$1.  
This week only.—Brabant's gallery.

Mrs. C. R. Bunnell arrived Saturday  
from Elizabethtown, to be with Mr.  
Bunnell, who is the proprietor of the  
box hall alley in the Fair building.

Lost—At Methodist supper Nov. 9,  
half dozen silver forks, 8 engraved on  
handle. Return to Mrs. F. M. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cottrell and  
children returned last week to Pens-  
acola, Fla., after spending several  
months with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Short.

Mrs. M. H. Beard and little son,  
Murray, returned Friday to Hardin-  
burg, after a visit to friends and rela-  
tives.

Mrs. Clarence Barker came up from  
Hawesville Wednesday to visit her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McGavock,  
near town.

Don't forget. I carry a big line of  
wall paper as any one in this city, and  
Johnny-on-the-spot with prices.—Ed-  
ward Gregory.

Miss Ray Hoyer has returned from  
Elizabethtown, where she attended the  
State meeting of the Baptist Young  
People's Union.

Stylish hats trimmed and ready to  
wear at Miss Lydia Frank's. Selling  
at low prices because of being late in  
the season. Come and take advantage  
of a bargain.

Mrs. Ellen Webb, of Louisville,  
and Mesdames W. H. Bowman, J. L.  
Moorman and J. C. Jarboe went to  
Macon Thursday to spend several days  
with Mrs. Hawes.

The "Bondage" is a splendid  
eighty-page story in the December  
Smart Set. For sale at the News office.

I will open up my 1906 line of wall  
paper in my new place of business  
March 1. My stock has been carefully  
selected and bought to sell cheap.  
Keep your eyes on the 34's.—Ed-  
ward Gregory & Sons.

The December number of the follow-  
ing magazines on sale at News office:  
Munsey, McClure, Everybody's, Red  
Book, Cosmopolitan, Metropolitan,  
Woman's Home Companion, Ladies'  
Home Journal, Myerson's American  
Family Magazine, American Illus-  
trated magazine, Delmonico, Smart  
Set, Barr-McIntosh Monthly.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

Edward Gregory has a copy of The  
Balance and Columbia Repository, pub-  
lished at Hudson, N. Y., January 26,  
1892. The paper is in an unusually  
good state of preservation for its age.  
It is probably one of the oldest news-  
papers to be found in this part of the  
country.

About thirty linemen are repairing  
the Home Telephone company's line  
between Louisville and Owensboro.  
They have been camping on Allen's  
hill, near town, for a week or more.  
They left Louisville the first of Sep-  
tember, spending a large part of the  
time in this country.

H. J. May has again begun the  
erection of his blacksmith shop at the  
foot of First street. The first struc-  
ture, when partly completed, was  
blown down in a storm.

"The Eternal City," a beautiful  
oratorio-cantata by Chas. H. Gabriel,  
is being rehearsed by the Methodist  
church choir, under the direction  
of A. H. Murray, and will be rendered  
at the church on the evening of De-  
cember 24, at which time there will be  
no preaching service. It will be the  
second cantata rendered by the choir  
while Mr. Murray has been the leader.  
The first cantata, which was sung last  
year before a large audience, was the  
finest thing in vocal music ever heard  
here and "The Eternal City" promises  
to be a much greater musical treat.

Edward Bowne, treasurer of the  
Murray Roofing Tile company, was in  
Louisville Wednesday and Thursday  
and made a contract for a large order  
of the superior grade of roofing tile his  
company is making at their plant here.

The old brick tenement house, near  
the Henderson Rente shop, the last  
vestige of the once famous industry of  
oil making from the cannon coal mined  
at Victoria, is being razed to the ground.

E. F. Rudolph, of near Holt, was  
in the city Monday. Mr. Rudolph will  
sell his 150-acre farm near Holt on  
December 19 and go to Howell, Ind.,  
to work in the L. & N. shops at his  
trade of car builder.

The Ladies' Reading Club did not  
meet last Thursday, on account of the  
meetings at the Baptist church, and  
they will have no meeting tomorrow.  
Mrs. A. B. Sullivan will be the  
hostess Thursday of next week.

Bert Beavin will sell paints and oils  
in the building on the left of Dr. R. L.  
Nowata's office, opening his stock next  
week.

Remus Pate and family and Mr. and  
Mrs. C. D. Hamblen have moved  
here from Mattingly.

W. G. Short, of Durant, Okla., ar-  
rived Sunday evening to visit his  
brother-in-law, W. Short. He left yester-  
day for Falls of Rough for a visit.

There will be no Thanksgiving  
service at the Methodist church to-  
morrow, the only services of the  
Protestant denominations being at the  
Baptist church.

J. C. Nolte & Bro. have a very at-  
tractive show window this week re-  
specting "Thanksgiving in the old  
time."

Mrs. L. T. Reid entertained last  
Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs.  
M. H. Beard, of Hardinsburg.

Miss Ruth Haynes entertained last  
Wednesday evening in honor of Dr.  
and Mrs. R. P. Keene, of Owensboro.

Miss Pauline Moorman, of Texas,  
was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J.  
T. Lewis part of last week.

Miss Martha Voyles, of near town,  
was at Polville last week visiting Mr.  
and Mrs. W. H. Doling.

Dr. S. B. Addison was down from  
Webster Monday.

## Sold His Farm.

Cliff Haddock has sold his farm at  
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Mr. Haddock will move to Webster  
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## GOOD THINGS FOR YOU AT OUR STORE

We have to work early and late,  
so crowded are we in our Repair Department.  
The reason of this is that we do every piece of work  
right. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Our holiday stock can not be  
excelled. Handsome Christmas presents at our  
store in great variety.

Best thing to do when your  
eyes hurt is to relieve and  
cure them. Murine is that  
thing. Sure and positive  
relief in ten minutes.

T. C. LEWIS & SON,  
YOUR JEWELERS,  
HARDINSBURG, KENTUCKY.

No Waiting Here

Just tell us how much  
lumber you need. We  
have all kinds of  
Framing material,  
and choice Poplar and  
Walnut is ready for  
you.

That's the thing, un-  
able to get so quick  
before.

Let us have your  
order to-day.

Your House, Barn or  
Stable may need re-  
pairs.

REMEMBER US.

Seaton & Weatherholt,  
Cloverport, Ky.

**M. Hamman & Son,**  
Funeral Directors  
and Embalmers.  
CLOVERPORT, KY.

LOOK OVER THIS LIST FOR

## Christmas Presents.

Three beautiful Par-  
lor Lamps will be given  
to cash purchasers  
during the Holidays.

Inquire for particulars  
at the store.

Any style of Rocker you may  
want is at our store. Read  
values in them at the fol-  
lowing prices: 90c, \$1.25,  
\$1.50, \$1.85, \$2.25, \$2.50,  
\$3, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50,  
\$5, \$6, \$7.50 and \$8.50.

Carpenter Sterling  
Rocking Chairs \$22.50

Dining Room Chairs, per  
set of six, \$5.00, \$6, \$7, \$8,  
\$10, \$12.

Suites, \$18 and up.

Folding Beds, \$14.50 to  
\$32.50.

Iron Beds, \$1.98 to \$7.50.

Kitchen Cabinets, \$5.50 to  
\$10.

Lamps, \$2 to \$15.

4,000 feet Picture Mould-  
ings, Frames made from 20c  
up.

Picture and Window Glass.  
100 sheet pictures from 10c  
to 25c.

Columbia Graphophones,  
\$7.50 to \$40.

Edison Phonographs,  
\$10 to \$30.

500 records in stock. Co-  
lumbia records 25c, Edison,  
35c.

Everything marked in plain  
figures. See prices in show  
window.

**M. Hamman & Son**  
Cloverport, Ky.

ALMOST EVERYBODY  
appreciates modern conveniences,  
plumbing and heating goods at whole-  
sale prices. Everything cut and fitted  
so that you can do the job yourself. Com-  
plete instructions and working drawings  
with every order. A wrench the only  
tool necessary.

H. D. McDONALD, 432 West Harrison Street,  
Chicago, Ill.

**PISO'S CURE FOR**  
CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS  
Best Cough Syrup, Tastes Good,  
Use in Time. Sold by druggists.

**CONSUMPTION**

The W. F. M. S. is conducting a  
daily prayer meeting at the Methodist  
church this week.

MEET ME AT NOLTE'S.

## Thanksgiving Day

Turkeys Always Taste Best.

We can supply the Turkey and the ingredients thereto  
belonging and make the big bird taste better.  
Don't overlook Cranberries, Oysters, Salmon, Soups,  
Mince Meat, Apple Butter, Gelatine, Jello, Plum Pudd-  
ing, Raisins, Currants, Pickles, Catsup, Salad Dressing,  
Pens, Tobacco Sauce, Asparagus Tips, Cakes.

What a Dinner! What a Feast!

Be thankful you're living in this glorious  
country. Wind up on a good Cigar or  
Cake of Wax.

**J. C. Nolte & Bro.,**  
Cloverport, Ky.

IS THE

Flour for the housekeeper  
who seeks the best. Many have found  
by experience that CADICK'S GOLD  
DUST FLOUR is the best for all baking.  
More are finding it out every day.  
If you haven't tried it, do so, and bak-  
ing day will be a pleasure. This flour  
brings the best results for bread, pastry,  
cake, indeed for everything for which a  
good flour is needed. Order it from your  
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#### A Love Test.

This tale is told in the Orient. A lady one day found a man following her, and she asked him why he did so. His reply was, "You are very beautiful, and I am in love with you." "Oh, you think me beautiful, do you? There is my sister over there. You will find her much more beautiful than I am. Go and make love to her," on hearing this, the man went to see the sister. He found she was very ugly, so he came back in an angry mood and asked the lady why she had told him a falsehood. She then answered, "Why did you tell me a falsehood? The man was surprised at this accusation and asked when he had done so. Her answer was, "You said you loved me. If that had been true you would not have gone to make love to another woman."

#### Front.

A front is a trout from the day it is born, but not until it gets into the open is a salmon a salmon. While it lives in a river it is a parr. On the western coast August and September are the months for the principal run of salmon. Early fall is the season for eastern trout, followed by the German trout and Loch Lomond in the late fall. Winter and early spring are the season for rainbow trout, and along in February comes the eastern brook trout, which is followed by lake trout and mykies, commonly known as cut-throat trout, from a peculiar red marking on the throat.—New York Herald.

#### The Heel.

The great actress who has been over from Paris. It costs her \$1,000. She has to have four maids to help her get into it. When she comes out on the stage the public at once exclaims in rapture:

"This is indeed realism!"

What is she representing? Why, a Russian peasant girl.—Puck.

#### A Tempting Hint.

"There," said the young man who had been calling regularly for about a year, "over and over again I have wanted nowadays."

"Yes, indeed," replied the young lady, with meaning. "Just look at young Mr. Wilson. He only met Miss Anderson two months ago, and now they are engaged."

#### Naturally.

"What sort of people are those who are continually seeking divorce?" asked the reformer, with an agonized groan.

"Married people principally," responded the cheerful idiot, with a coarse guffaw.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

#### A Good Lesson.

Spouter: Did you gain anything on the horse last year? Spouter: Yes, I gained enough experience to teach me not to bet on this year.

Most of our uniformities are more supportable than the comments of our friends upon them.—A. Dumas.

#### "I Think The Lord!"

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Mary: Uncle Ned, what's a honeymoon? Bachelor Uncle: The time between the marriage and the divorce—Buckingham Palace.

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#### Love Tokens.

The ancient English custom of giving love tokens on the 20th of August died out many years ago. The custom was for "enamoured maidens and gentlewomen" to give to their favorite swains as tokens of love little handkerchiefs three or four inches square, with a button or jewel at each corner and a small one in the center. The finest of these favors were edged with narrow gold lace or velvet, and the following up in your rose folds so that the middle might be seen. They were worn by the fortunate swains in their hats or on the breast. The favors were generally the handiwork of the "fair maid" herself, and well she liked to make the most beautiful figures she could of her favorite colors, but they became so much in vogue in Queen Elizabeth's time that they were sold ready made in the shops. This, of course, destroyed the romance of the custom, and hence its death.

#### Trapping the Parson.

As William Morris was an Englishman, it may not seem remarkable to Americans that he did not always get the jokes right and first. In a biography of her husband, Mrs. Edward Burne-Jones tells of the case with which he reversed them.

They had all been asking each other, "Who killed his brother Cain?" asked Burne-Jones.

Morris fell into the trap at once. "Abel!" he shouted.

Later in the day he came in laughing.

"I trapped the parson, by Jove!" he exclaimed. "I asked him, 'Who killed his brother Abel?'"

"Cain," he said at once. "High I can tell. I knew you'd say that. Every one does. I came away and left him puzzled enough, and I doubt if he's found out yet what I meant."

#### Sharks Delicate in Captivity.

Sharks are rather delicate in captivity, and it is difficult to keep them in aquariums. Whatever care may be bestowed upon them they do not seem to be able to stand confinement, however large the tank or pool may be. In captivity sharks swim round and round the tank, nine times out of ten taking one course and never reversing. A shark has been known to keep its course for three or four months without change and, except for food, never bailing so far as it was observed. It would keep going all day long and would be found going in the morning just the same. If food was placed in its way, it would stop for several minutes and eat, remaining bailed the same way. Presently it would start on again in the same direction on its rounds, moving slowly unless disturbed.

#### Necessaries of a Happy Life.

There are two fundamental necessities for a happy life, namely, a useful occupation for mind and body and an outlet for unselfish affection. The first requisite for enduring happiness is in having such to do in which one believes. Such work always aims at the accomplishment of something useful. While this work must be done with fair efficiency, it should be accompanied with two much desired or exalted.

The simpler the plan on which one's living is conducted, the less will be the complications and disturbances caused by the over-elaborate scale of existence and the more will be left for the real duties and pleasures of life. From "Vital Questions," by Dr. Henry D. Chapin.

#### Korean Children.

The children of Korea are extremely quiet and pretty, especially when only a few years old. At New Year's they are generally dressed up in brand new frocks, and though, according to our ideas of taste, we should not give yellow sleeves to a bright red jacket and wear this over a green frock, I must say that somehow or other it looks all right there and reflects the monotony of the conventional white garments. The faces of the children are whitened with chalk, and the hair is oiled and parted in the middle, plastered down and tied into one or two small pig-tails.—Cornhill.

#### Look Up When Speaking.

"I don't talk half as much as you do," said the preacher to the lawyer, "yet your voice holds out twice as long as mine. Why is it?"

The lawyer said he couldn't tell. "The difference in the position of your head when you are talking explains it," said the eloquentist. "A preacher looks down upon his congregation, a lawyer looks up to the judge. That drooping of the head cramps the vocal cords and makes the preacher's voice more difficult to proffer than that of any other professional man."

#### Your Disadvantages.

Look your disadvantages squarely in the face and see what you can make out of them, instead of complaining that you have not the right tools you use the tools you have. Go forward into a new battle and on to victory as though there never had been a failure in all your life.—Woman's Life.

#### Attempted Insight.

Jones: What the difference between stinginess and economy? Brown: Stinginess is habitual economy; economy is spasmodic stinginess.—Tom Watson's Magazine.

#### What Was Lacking.

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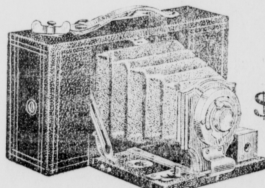
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## LIFE OF BABY SAVAGE.

## THE TREATMENT WHICH INDIAN PAPOOSES RECEIVE FROM SQUAW MOTHERS.

Indian Redskin Very Seldom Cries—Is Strapped to a Plank, Washed in the Creek and Hung on a Tree to Dry Out.

In the Indian papoose child nature is essentially the same as in the Caucasian babe, though there is a striking contrast in their manners, due to maternal treatment, or as a student of child nature might say, to environment. The chief differences, really, between the little Indian and the little white is that the former is less a cry-baby than the latter. The reason for this is that the white baby usually gets what he cries for if it be within mother's power to procure it. Learning this by experience, for every mother knows how wise and shrewd the baby is, whenever he feels that a certain article would comfort him, his contentment, he forthwith howls. Now, the papoose, so far from being encouraged in this vocal exercise, is repressed, his mother is unresponsive and the baby not achieving what he weeps for, soon learns that tears and wails profit not.

Perhaps if the white mother dwelt in the deserts or the mountains so that baby's crying would not disturb the neighbors even she might let him cry till weariness brought sleep, and perhaps if the redskin mother lived among sensitive neighbors she might seek to pacify the crying babe with

When the bath is ended a cloth is tied round the baby and he is hung up on the branch of a tree or a sapling till sun and wind have dried him. Then he is packed in his basket and trundled on his mother's back homeward to the family tepee.

## Death for Weakening Babies.

Nearly all Indian children that one sees are bony and well formed. This is because only those of robust constitution survive the trials and exposure of their babyhood. It is desired that only the naturally strong should survive, for it is a custom in most of the tribes to wilfully expose, suffocate or drown bony weaklings or deformed babies. Death is the lot of the unhappy little baby whose health and physique are below the tribal standard. The Albino child, and these are more common among the Indians than might be supposed, is certain to perish soon after birth, because the coming of such a child is regarded as evidence of displeasure of the Great Spirit.

The redskin babe is released from his lacings and swaddlings as soon as he is old enough to walk, and then his real child life begins. He has great freedom. When it is warm enough to go without clothes, and the Indian child is inured to cold, he tumbles and romps naked. His pet dogs and ponies and is as fond of these as are his blond cousins. As he grows old enough to run he takes an interest in the athletic sports of the tribe and the usual young Indian games of deer and hounds, blind week, foot racing, pony racing, bow and arrow shooting, spear throwing, wrestling, and follow the leader.

## Developing the Brave.

The child is given every possible encouragement to play and is never whipped by his parents, because it is the Indian philosophy that whiplashing breaks the spirit of the child and the Indian ambition is to be brave and self-reliant. It is a fact that though the Indian child is not subject to corporal punishment and the rudeness of discipline which white children are often made to endure, they are reverent, obedient, docile and extraordinarily respectful toward their parents and seniors. It is the Spartan quality which the mother and father strive to develop in their boys.

## School of the Indian.

The Indian lad of the wilds is not oppressed with book studies. He is taught his nature lessons in the forest, among the rocks or on the plains. He learns by hunting and camping with his elders, and every Indian lad ties to win the prize of commendation by proficiency in the various games which the Indian holds in the highest form of knowledge. It is around the camp fire, or the fire in the lodge, that the youth learns the traditions of his

## JAPANESE YELLOW PERIL.

## HIOKI CALLS IT A MYTH, INDIAN NATION'S EYES NOT ON PHILIPPINES.

Japan Stands for Open Door and a Square Deal to All-American Aid Welcomed.

Japan is inclined to resent the recurrence of allegations in the newspapers of this country that she has designs upon the Philippines. In an address before the members of the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce, Hon. Eki Hiohi, First Secretary of the Japanese Legation, expressed in no uncertain terms what is believed to be a definite statement of the policy of the Mikado with reference to the



HON. EKI HIOHI  
Secretary of the Japanese Embassy.

attitude of that nation in her future industrial and commercial life. Hiohi lays special emphasis upon the frank and authoritative disavowals of the frequently repeated allegation that Japan to absorb the Philippine Islands for her own people.

"For the sake of argument," said Mr. Hiohi, "having said entirely for the moment consideration of the subject, let me ask you a question. Can you believe that this great American people who glory in their national spirit in their gigantic strength, in their boundless wealth, in their marvelous development, and look forward with proud and confident anticipation to the time when they shall be first in the race civilization has set for man to run, would allow her flag to be lowered, be it in the Philippines anywhere else which legitimately belongs to her, by any hands but hers? No, most emphatically no. That is the spirit with which you cling to your new possessions in the Pacific and the only one to be the spirit of the people who respect honor and justice."

## Would Mean Gigantic War.

"And who can better understand that spirit of the Americans than the Japanese? Therefore, if Japan harbored such a sinister design as attributed to her, she must be prepared to plunge in a war far more gigantic than the one just ended against a nation to which she owes much. She is today and to whose people she owes that moral and financial support so unreservedly given at the critical period in her history. No, the Philippines are not worth the sacrifice of such a valuable friendship as that of America and the enormous losses in men and money which such a war would necessarily entail. Nor is Japan in a position to carry on another costly war, but for self-defense."

## For Open Door in China.

"The increased prestige of China turned the eyes of the world toward the problem of what influence Japan will wield over China. Some people go so far as to assert that Japan will control China, proclaim the Monroe doctrine for Asia, and drive out from the East all the white devil and exterminate the Western nations which his borders."

"Without questioning either the value of the principles contained in the so-called Monroe doctrine or its applicability to the Eastern situation at present, I can simply say that such an idea has not entered into the Japanese mind and such a policy has not even the symptoms of formation. For the maintenance of the integrity and independence of China Japan joined hands with Great Britain. For securing equal opportunities in China, Japan lent her eager efforts to the United States to make the open door policy effectively operative."

## Competition with America.

"It is absurd," continued Mr. Hiohi, "to say that in the course of a few years American goods will be crowded out of the Chinese market by Japanese competition. The main ground upon which rests this apprehension is that Japan has cheap labor at command. But labor in Japan does not remain cheap. The effect of the Chi-na-Japan war was to double the price of labor, and the war with Russia must raise it much higher. In spite of these disadvantages Japan must develop her commerce and industry, and she will have to compete with all the world, friend or foe. Her commercial war will be fought just as fairly and squarely as the real war. She asks no favor from China that is not granted to the entire world. She stands for the open door and, in the words of your great President, 'a square deal.'"

## American Capital Welcomed.

"Japan welcomes capital and material from any country. The United States is supplying materials for important Japanese industries; why can't she supply the capital? Why can't there be a commercial alliance between Japan and the United States? We are willing to divide a fair share

of the profits wherever gained with any people. The United States has been, is, and will be Japan's best customer."

## Future of the Orient.

"The future of the Orient is great, and the greater it is the better for the world. With peace guaranteed by the Anglo-Japanese alliance, an equal opportunity in Korea and China secured by that treaty, as well as by the agreement of the policies of the three great Pacific powers—Japan, the United States and Great Britain—an important era has dawned upon the Orient. During the last quarter of a century all the great events of the world have transpired in the East. For years to come the East will still be the center of the world's great happenings."

## BLACK WALNUT NUTMEGS.

Bishop Potter Was Sure That He Was Tasting the Real Article.

The power of suggestion is not merely a phrase; it really is a power. It has the strength to deceive men in the matter of cigars, wines, whiskeys and what not. It is a force in medicine as every doctor knows. It is an agent in therapeutics. The power of suggestion and the force of example are intimately related. But to illustrate the power of suggestion may play with one's palate the following story is told on Bishop Potter, a reverend gentleman of ecclesiastical note and recent Sulway Tanager fame:

In the course of his diocesan rambles he called on an old friend from the South. It was evening, and the bishop was invited to supper, not dinner, for as people of the South know, the appropriate time for dinner is midday and the meal after candle-light is supper. One of the dishes served was cottage-cheese or as it is more often called in the language of the olden time "amar-cass." This is often eaten under a plentiful dressing of cream and sugar. The bishop elected to have "mess" of "amar-cass," but his appetite craved a little grated nutmeg as a flavor. This was embarrassing to the hostess, for she had no nutmeg, but she said to Aunt Dinah, who waited on table, "Aunt Dinah, bring the bishop some nutmeg."

"Dar ain't no nutmegs in de pantry," whispered Aunt Dinah.

"Well, and Mr. Tomlinson, next door, to lend me one."

"She ain't got none. She done use 'dem' she hab' in makin' 'egg-nog.'"

"Well, then, run down to Miss Betsey's and see if she's got a nutmeg," said the troubled hostess, who talked with augmented vivacity and animation to make the time pass quickly till that nutmeg should be brought.

Aunt Dinah came in, her black face beaming with triumphant smiles, and placed before the bishop the morsel of "amar-cass" generously sprinkled with grated nutmeg.

"Ah," said the bishop, speaking with that tone of complacent assurance, coming from a consciousness of a perfect meal, "this is just what I needed, smacking his lips and beaming with gratified merriment."

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a most beautiful expression, "what a grateful flavor nutmeg does add to smac-cass. This is the paragon of the season."

The supper dishes cleared up and the bishop gave the hostess said to Aunt Dinah, "Be sure and get Miss Betsey another nutmeg at the store in the morning."

"Lor, Miss Betsey didn't had no nutmeg, I jes' took a piece of black walnut to dole out what I kin. Yankee carpenter was repairin' to-day, and done grated it over de cheese."

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RICHARD HAMILTON BYRD.

Reserving forests in the west from monopolization for private gain is a government policy with which the people have become somewhat familiar.

Our national forest reserves amount now to nearly sixty million acres; but the idea of applying this principle to the older forests in the eastern states may be new to some people and yet is becoming a prominent one. Nothing is giving it popularity and importance so much as the great interest manifested by the President in the subject.

There are proposed great national reservations in the Southern Appalachian forests, in the White Mountains, in Minnesota, and in other eastern states, entirely separate and apart from the great reservations in the West. President Roosevelt is an ardent disciple of forestry and the great ground upon which the subject has jumped may be indicated by the following statement of the Secretary of the Interior:

If the forest ever was a forestry from a small office, a few years ago, employing half a dozen people, to an institution with annual appropriations of half a million dollars, employing hundreds of trained foresters in the field, and having the supervision, actual and tentative of nearly a hundred million acres of forest.

The largest of the proposed eastern forest reserves is that in the Southern Appalachian Mountains and that its establishment is a matter of national concern. It is the largest of the reserves proposed by President Roosevelt in his address at Raleigh, N. C., on October 20. He pointed out how vitally southern forests affect southern industries and thus the entire country. The forest of every country, east of the Mississippi and south of the Ohio river is affected by this proposed reservation. It is a mere trifle to the million mountain acres in which rise all the rivers which water this area.

"I want to say a word to you on a special subject in which all the country is concerned, but in which North Carolina has a special concern. The preservation of the forests is vital to the welfare of every country. China and the Mediterranean countries offer examples of the ruinous effects of deforestation upon the physical geography, and therefore ultimately upon the national life of a country."

One of the most obvious duties which our generation owes to the generations which will come after us is to preserve the existing forests. The prime difference between civilized and uncivilized peoples is that in civilized

people are distinguished in value we thereby prove our unfitness to stand in the forefront of civilized peoples.

## Forest Wealth a Great Heritage.

"One of the greatest of these heritages is our forest wealth. It is the upper altitudes of the forested mountains that are most valuable to the nation as a whole, especially because of their effects upon the water supply. Neither state or nation can afford to turn these mountains over to the unrestrained greed of those who would exploit them at the expense of the future. We cannot afford to wait long before assuming control, in the interest of the people, of these forests; for if we do wait, the vested interests of private parties to them may become so powerful that it will be a most expensive task to assist them. If the Eastern States are wise, then from the Bay of Fundy to the Gulf we will see, within the next few years a policy



CHARLES F. ATTY DE OF THE PRESIDENT IN NORTH CAROLINA ADDRESS.

on foot similar to that so fortuitously carried out in the forests of the west by the national government. All the higher Appalachians should be reserved as national parks or by the nation. I much prefer that they should be put under national control, but it is a mere trifle to say that they will not be reserved by the people of the nation unless you people of the South show a strong interest therein.

## Would Prevent Floods and Create

"Such reserves would be a paying investment, not only in protection to national interests, but also in the events to the government. The importance to the southern people of which the south should be proud, is obvious. These forests are the best defense against the floods which, in the worst past, have done a single twelve-month, destroyed property actually valued at nearly twice what it would cost to buy the Southern Appalachian reserve."

"The maintenance of your southern water powers is not less important than the prevention of floods, because the forests are the great natural interests will suffer with them. Less perpetuation of your forests, and the preservation of the South, should be one of the first objects of your public men. The two senators from North Carolina have taken an honorable part in this movement. But I do not think that the people of North Carolina, or of any other southern state, have quite grasped the importance of this movement to the commercial development and prosperity of the south."

## The President's Message to Congress.

The special message sent to Congress by the President on the Southern Appalachian Reserve reads like a story. It touches upon the interest of the subject of the scientists and the farmer, the meteorologist and the fruit grower, the business man and the engineer, and the whole of the people and the homemaker. The President transmits with his message a report of the Secretary of the Interior, prepared in collaboration with the Department of the Interior, upon the forests, rivers and mountains of the Southern Appalachian region, and upon its agricultural situation as affected by them, and says in part:

The report of the Secretary presents the final result of an investigation authorized by the last Congress. Its conclusions are point unmistakably, in my opinion, to the Secretary and in my own, to the creation of a national forest reserve in certain parts of a national engineer, and the whole of the people and the homemaker. The President transmits with his message a report of the Secretary of the Interior, prepared in collaboration with the Department of the Interior, upon the forests, rivers and mountains of the Southern Appalachian region, and upon its agricultural situation as affected by them, and says in part:

peoples each generation works not only for its own well-being, but for the well-being of the generations yet unborn, and if we permit the natural resources of this land to be destroyed so that we hand over to our children a



NAVAGHO PAPOOSES IN THEIR LITTLE CRIBS.

The Little Redskin Not Achieving What He Hopes For Soon Learns That Tears and Wails Profit Not.

brides that the neighbors might not charge her with neglect of maternal duty, or her baby with an evil disposition. Yet another reason for the calm and placid habit and orderliness of the papoose as compared with his fair brother is that the darker little savage has no cradle, crib or go-cart to sport and gambol in, but is either packed tightly in a basket or strapped to a board. In this position he finds kicking and squirming uncomfortable exercise and his enforced repose develops into habit.

So, the stoicism and the taciturnity of the Indian are nurtured in early youth, though of course one reason for the Indian's lack of fluency in speech is that in his life and thought he has not the need of many words. The primitive white man was not voluble.

## Bath Day of Papoose.

The papoose has no nursery luxuries as little pale-face babes understand that phrase. He has no soft and tepid water prepared for him by a faithful maid or a fond mamma. He is never lathered over with perfumed soap nor dusted with sweet-scented powders. At intervals, usually two or three times a week, the mothers of the tribe or ladies take their babies to the nearest creek, pool or spring, unstrap the little ones and tumble them into shallow water, where they receive a splashing time while the mothers swap the gossip of the tribe, for squaws are very feminine and their personal news and chit-chat involving other squaws, bucks and braves.

race. His mental food is composed of stories of warfare, and the chase. The education of the Indian maiden is conducted by her mother, who teaches all the domestic arts which the most remarkable airship voyage on record.

## A New Planet Discovered.

Be sure to read this week's story, Nebula, a recently discovered orb, within a hundred miles of the earth. The story is told by the historian of an exciting party which made the most remarkable airship voyage on record.

## Had Great Powers.

A justice of the peace for the Maine woods, addressing the judge as "Most High," was reprimanded and told that there was but one "Most High." He who had created the whole world out of nothing.

## Song of a Dakota Blizzards.

"Well, judge," he answered, "you created St. Sewell just off the peace, and if that isn't making something out of nothing, what is?"

## On the election of Henry Addington

to the chair of the House of Commons in 1789 the salary of the speaker was fixed at 6,000 pounds (\$30,000) per annum.

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they point to the necessity of protecting through wise use a mountain region whose influence flows far beyond its borders with the waters of the rivers to which it gives rise.

Among the elevations of the eastern half of the United States, the Southern Appalachians are of paramount importance for geographic, hydrographic, and forest reasons, and, as a consequence, for economic reasons as well. These great mountains are old in the history of the continent which has grown up about them. The hardwood forests were born on their slopes and have spread thence over the eastern half of the continent. More than once in the remote geologic past they have disappeared below the sea on the east, south, and west, and before the ice on the north but here in this Southern Appalachians they have lived on to the present day.

Under the varying conditions of soil, elevation, and climate many of the Appalachian tree species have developed. Hence it is that in this region occur that most diverse variety and richness of plant growth which have led our ablest business men and scientists to ask for its preservation by the Government for the advancement of science and for the instruction and pleasure of the people of our own and of future generations.

The conclusions of the Secretary of Agriculture are summarized as follows in his report:

The Southern Appalachian region

is protected and preserved. To that end the preservation of the forests is an indispensable condition, which will lead not to the reduction, but to the increase of the yield of agricultural products.

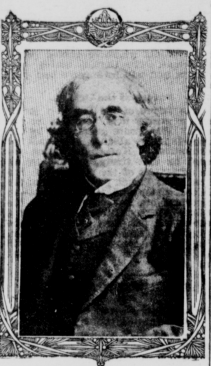
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The floods in these mountain-born streams of this forest destruction continue, will increase in frequency and violence, and in the extent of their damage, both within this region and across the bordering States. The extent of these damages, like those from the washing of the mountain hills and roads, can not be estimated with perfect accuracy, but during the present year alone the total has approximated \$10,000,000, a sum sufficient to purchase the entire area recommended for the proposed reserve during the past year the flood loss was probably twenty million dollars. But this loss can not be estimated in money value alone. Its continuance means the early destruction of conditions most valuable to the nation, and which neither skill nor wealth can restore.

The preservation of the forests, of the streams, and of the agricultural lands, can be accomplished only by the purchase and creation of a National Forest Reserve. The States of the Southern Appalachian region own little or no land, and their revenues are inadequate to carry out this plan.

IRVING AND BOOTH.  
Great Actors Who Sought to Elevate the Drama.

England's tribute to Henry Irving was worthy of his great powers and his great performances. It was recalled, too, with appropriate feelings, that he had made great sacrifices for his high ideals. He spent large sums in an effort to keep his London theater up to a lofty standard, but the times would not sustain him, and in his old age he was forced to take to



SIR HENRY IRVING

the road again, and even to present plays of only medium merit, unworthy of his gifts, to keep his head above water. Music hall jingles and horse play, cheap but stirring melodrama, and problem plays fought with snail, had overthrown in his own capital the first actor of his day.

Our own Edwin Booth, we should all remember, trod this same hard road. After he had reached the top with us, and was richly established and sought to maintain, a temple where the drama in his best estate could be enjoyed by all who held the playhouse in veneration and affection, the structure was the finest of its kind in New York, and beautifully furnished. He opened it time after a supporting company of unusual excellence. For a time—a time all too brief—he prospered. His till was filled every night, and praise of his enterprise and devotion to art was general and generous.

But he could not hold the public to his splendid endeavor. Taste underwent a change. What has since come to be known as the commercialization of the theatre set in, and in time Booth's venture failed. The "adversaries" triumphed, and the temple devoted to real dramatic art was razed to make room for a hundred blocks. Stripped of its fortune, Booth, as more recent Irving had, had to return to the road and resume the habits of a wanderer. He prospered, of course, but never, as his friends believed, recovered from this blow to his professional hopes.

The subject is much discussed, and some interesting things are said on either side. But, however the public may feel, it is to the glory of those two great actors that they lived with all their means and influence what they conceived to be the duty

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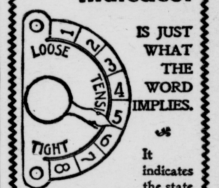
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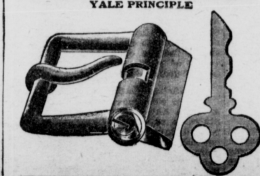
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Federal action is obviously necessary, is fully justified by reasons of public necessity, and may be expected to have most fortunate results. With these conclusions I fully agree; and I heartily commend this measure to the favorable consideration of Congress.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT,  
White House, Dec. 15, 1901.

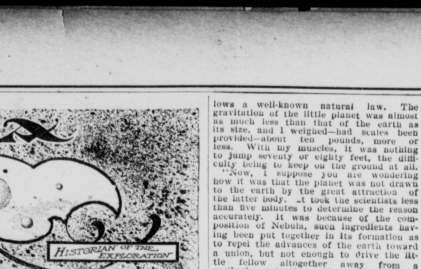
(This will be followed next week by another article on the forest, land and irrigation questions, as affecting the nation.—Editor)

Chile Con Carne.

What is Chile con Carne? Every citizen of the Southwest knows it well, but perhaps there are residents of the Northern belt of the country who are probably quite unfamiliar with this toothsome dish, you know which should be especially acceptable to the people of the northland.

Chile con carne, a Spanish term, translated literally means chile—red peppers with meat. Properly prepared, it is stimulating, warming and extremely grateful to a cold and hungry stomach. From one of our Mexican ambassadors comes the following method for preparation—a recipe direct from a famous cook in the capital of our sister republic to the South.

Cover two pounds of tender beef with water and push the kettle back on the stove where it will barely simmer, until the meat is in shreds. Then add six large red, sweet peppers, seeded and cut into long narrow strips, a large onion, minced, a tiny pod of



ess rapidly than previously, and I happened to glance upward through the sides of the car. I almost fell over with astonishment, and could scarcely get my voice to call to the others what I saw. "What did, they were as amazed as I for directly above us floated a tremendous globe which

He instantly recognized as a map of the continent of North America. It covered almost the entire arc, and seemed but a few miles distant, while beneath us was what certainly was another earth.

"Good gracious," exclaimed our leader, "we have made the greatest discovery of all the ages! We have discovered another world, and are falling onto it. That globe of fire lies in the earth, and we have lost it and are about to land on another planet!"

"I confess that his explanation did not satisfy me," said the astronomer, "but it is revealing to us that there are supposed to be many nebulous bodies affort outside

the atmosphere of the earth, a fact that all scientists accept. Some of these bodies are as small as pinheads, while others may be as large as the earth. That this last was correct was evident; yet how it had never been discovered by the earth's astronomers was a puzzle to me.

"That is a simple matter of explanation," said our leader; "this asteroid has never been discovered, for the same reason that many small but important things have been overlooked by astronomers in search of greater fields to conquer. It is within less than one hundred miles of earth, while the very nearest object that has ever attracted the tele-

"That sounds reasonable, yet I ask him how it was that it had never been there," Simpson said.

"Simpler still," he answered, "because the atmosphere is thinner than ten miles in diameter. So small an atmosphere would be nearly identical with that of the moon, and having no light of its own, it would be invisible. No one could speak in the sky, and no man can fly, how long it has floated around our earth. But it is there, and I am sure that, for the present we will confine our search to the atmosphere, and shall land and see what there is to see."

"An aneroid barometer was then taken out, and Simpson was to read the certain the pressure of the air. In order to test the instrument, the two men went down the wire dais to open the car and step out. The aneroid barometer showed that the planet was growing larger every moment, and that the pressure was increasing. Simpson was not to be deceived by the smile of its surface. The instrument showed that the pressure was eight times that of the earth's atmosphere. Simpson announced that on high mountains on the

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"Now find it!" he commanded. I tried with all my might to locate it, but nothing revealed itself, but the stars and the moon.

"That's the reason it has never been located," I said. "Because the stars and moon have always been looking for things rather away."

that time he received a salary of \$100 a year. When the negotiations he was disciplined by the club management, and rather than take the punishment he retired from baseball for a year or more. He returned to the harness again, his cunning as pitcher had deserted him. He was in a tight financial strait without occupation, but later received employment as a lumber hand, with a commission of 1 per cent a day. It is now announced that he has been successful in obtaining a position in Cairo, Egypt, where he will receive \$4 a day.

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"It was wonderful. The air was so rare as to feel as if one were in mountain conditions; but some of the things I complained, and one suffered notably. The water was so cold that, on my hand, its banks lined with plant life, I went toward it to feel a drink. I was so cold that I could not get my body, ran lightly toward it, falling on my back, and quenching my thirst with the water. I was so cold that I never drank again, and, as far as we could see from the stream, was not more than a few feet away, and, as far as we could see from the shore, was no narrower than a mile. We wanted to go on, but I could not make the leap, old man and I. I took a few steps back and then I went toward the bank and swung into the air, like a bird, and landed on the other bank. I was rather back. My companions, as I talked with the ease of a feather, first looked at me with incredulity, then with a smile of amused laughing. For I understood the reason before I did. No. Well, the explanation is as simple as all the others have been, and fol-

**A Few Afterthoughts.**

The recent campaign effectively dispels the illusion that there is any "silent vote."

The tough language man is glad that the comfortable but weather is over.

The beef trust controls the supply of sole leather, and it is said that in consequence, the kicks of the consumer do not hurt.

The Cleveland woman who was arrested for putting a love potion in her husband's coffee would have used some coffee instead.

Dear, not the king of Sweden, but the poet of the Walden, says that one hour a day is enough for the average man, doubtless at W. A. prices.

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The annual chrysanthemum show of the Department of Agriculture, under the auspices of the bureau of plant industry, of which Dr. B. T. Galloway is chief, has just been held in the new greenhouses of the department. The building was one mass of bloom with its several thousand of

four feet tall on which grew eighteen different and distinct varieties, some white, some yellow, while others were pink, brown and red. This was obtained by grafting stems from valuable sorts on a good stock.

The first chrysanthemum known to florists was yellow and was grown in Japan. It was carried over to China and from that country rapidly spread all over the world. The passing years, however, wrought wonders, and the chrysanthemum, the "autumn queen,"

feet. Flax roots go down three and four feet, grass roots, four to six feet. Red clover completely occupies the upper three feet of soil. Chrysanthemum clover roots in a single year grow three feet. All of which may give some farmers new ideas as to cultivating, which breaks the roots of plants, and the distance at which to plant. When late potato hills are three feet apart each way the soil is very fully occupied by the roots to a depth of three feet. Each potato hill, therefore, occupies twenty-seven cubic feet of soil.

**Salt Not Needed For Asparagus.**  
Another sort article is on the Proper Fertilizers for Asparagus. Although salt has been considered a time-honored necessity for this crop, it has been found that asparagus will yield as well without as with it except for the fact that the salt prevents the growth of weeds.

Growing Mushrooms for Home Use, is another short article and Ohio Culture covers another. Another short article gives the remarkable results of forcing early cauliflower with ether.

Raising Calves on Skim Milk, supplemented, of course, by grain, is an instructive little article, covering the results of experiments in this line by the government stations in Iowa, Idaho, Kansas, Nebraska and Utah. Entire success has been had with the skim milk diet and the practice is considered even more desirable by some authorities than allowing the youngsters to have natural milk.

Other topics discussed are Noodles, a product prepared by Europeans themselves and some manufacturers from flour with the addition of a certain amount of eggs and salt; the dough being rolled into sheets and cut into strips or fluted sheets; Cauliflower Powders and Special Stimulating Foods for Poultry and Farm Animals; the Relative Cost of Producing Meat from the Beef Type and the Sissy Type of Cattle; the Use of Animal Food for Young Ducks, showing the gains of ducklings on rations containing different proportions of animal food; the Bad Effect of Using Milk from Diseased Cows and the Production of Cider Vinegar.

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**Coffee For the Army.**  
The yearly contract for supplying coffee for the United States Army is about to be let by the Quartermaster General, and the Department of Agriculture has been called upon to decide which brand shall be purchased. This test was made under the supervision of Dr. Wiley, Chief of the Bureau of Chemistry. In a jury of veteran coffee drinkers who know and can tell good coffee from bad by flavor and by the odor with the not a hundred yards distant. The jury assembled in Dr. Wiley's office, where the bureau cook had prepared several small lots of coffee from the samples submitted. They were tested

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fresh cold water is poured in and the handle turned slowly two or three times when the butter is ready for washing, salting and eating.

### OLD AGE PENSION.

Much Attention Given in France to the Care of the Indigent.

France evidently does not believe that the old should be chloroformed and put out of the way, for, according to official reports received from United States officials located in Paris, that government has a system of pensioning for the aged. For more than a century the French government has been experimenting with schemes for giving an annuity to the old, not however with entire success.

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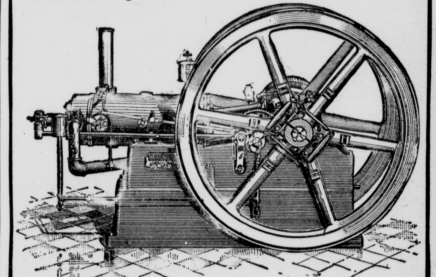
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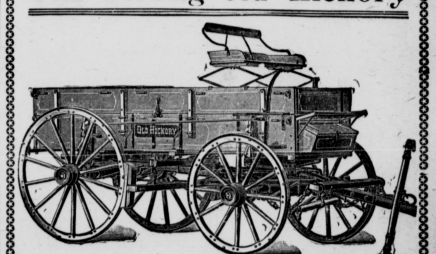
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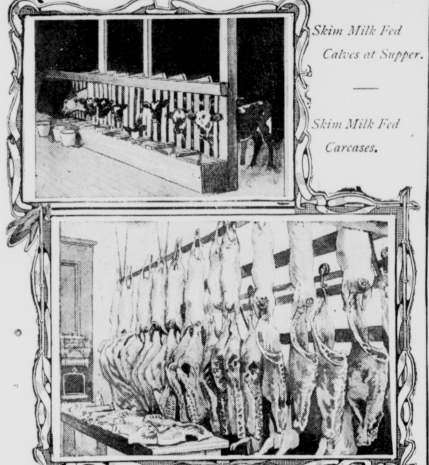
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plants, representing about 120 different varieties. Many of these are the product of the government's gardeners, artificial pollination and cross breeding valuable varieties, bringing about most startling results. This year the most successful of the department's efforts is a magnificent yellow flower fully ten inches in diameter. The petals are extremely heavy, well shaped and all in all the bloom is a huge ball of molten gold. The flower is not merely one for show; florists who have seen it declare that it is of much commercial value.

**The Mrs. Roosevelt Chrysanthemum.**  
Secretary Wilson was so pleased with this "Seedling of 1905" that he authorized it named Mrs. Roosevelt, in honor of the first lady of the land. But the department's experiments along the line of chrysanthemum crossing are not always a success. Last spring efforts were made to cross two varieties—Mura and Lieut. Colonel Du Croisset—the largest of the white and yellow kinds—with the hope of producing a combination of value. When the flower of the new plant unfolded itself it presented an ugly mass of brown, red, yellow and white, and of but ordinary size. It had gone back. Other hybrids have a tendency to go back to single petal varieties and to distinctly different color from the parents. And yet each year the efforts of the government gardeners are rewarded, even though they produce one good specimen, by obtaining a chrysanthemum of rare beauty and shape.

**Good Grafting.**  
A plant at the Department's show this year which attracted more than usual attention was a specimen about

by the jury from cups and spoons. After the test the jury was dismissed and the members each wrote a separate report, giving his views of the coffee, and stating which of the samples he considered the best.

These were placed in sealed envelopes and sent to Dr. Wiley who opened them and submitted the finding to the Quartermaster General. Dr. Wiley also constituted a part of the jury—a foreman, as it were, and decided upon his findings and judgment of the quality of the coffee coincided with those of the others.

**One Minute Butter.**  
The instantaneous ice-cream maker seems about to give way to an instantaneous butter maker. This is a churn capable of making butter in sixty seconds. The machine is so handy that it might very well be placed on the tea table as an accessory to the cups and teapot, and yet not look out of place. All that is



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It is as high as \$250 a year. Some persons still shelter a few aged persons, either gratuitously or at small sum—er annum.

There are several large institutions for the care of the indigent aged. Some of these are free and others a small charge is made for board and lodging. At Issy, near Paris, is an institution for widowers, widows, or married couples, of whom both are over six-five years of age and who have no family. There are many small institutions founded by private persons for the officials, at some of which the charge



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## PATESVILLE.

Miss Nina Wilkinson, of Cloverport, is visiting relatives here.

Dr. J. T. Miller spent a few days last week with his mother at Union Star.

James McAfee, of Union Star, and John Johnson, of Ducks, were in town Saturday.

Mr. E. F. Garbert was in Evansville a few days of last week, purchasing goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brown, of Weber, were in town shopping Tuesday last week.

Miss Nellie Fawcett was employed as clerk in Gilbert & Thorne's store a few days of last week.

Forest Gordon, wife and children, of Owensboro, are spending a few days with relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Lynch and baby came up from Owensboro Saturday. They will remove their furniture to this place, where they will make this their future home.

Thanksgiving will be observed at this place on Thursday evening, Nov. 30. The ladies of the Methodist church are preparing to have a box supper and also some exercises at the "city hall" for the benefit of the church. Everybody is welcomed.

## STEPHENSPOET.

Jas. Walls has been quite ill.

Mrs. Gene Conner has returned from Louisville.

Lee Morgan is improving and able to be out again.

Will Sargent is home from Owensboro for a few days.

R. H. Conn has moved into a cottage on Main street.

Wm. Blaine was in Louisville the first of the week.

Dr. W. H. Wimp visited his parents at Irvington Sunday.

Miss Esther Payne was the guest of Miss Mary Basham Sunday.

Jas. Lay and Mr. Jay, of Gas City, Ind., are guests of Harry Liv.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Holm have returned from a visit at Lewisport.

Mrs. Bettie Napper has returned from a visit to relatives in Owensboro. Chas. Tinius has bought R. H. Conn's dwelling house and has moved into it.

Smith & Tinius are moving their saw mill and barrel factory here and will begin business soon.

Mrs. Mattie Gibbons and Mrs. Pike Conn attended the funeral of Mrs. Minnie Canary at Union Star Sunday. The tacky party given by Miss Christine Crawford was very much enjoyed by all. Miss Mary Basham won the prize.

Roland Watlington has bought the old Blaine stand and will move in soon. He has also bought R. S. Skillman's stock of goods.

## CHENAULT.

A. E. Bennett went to Louisville last week.

A fine ball will be given at Derby on Thanksgiving night.

Miss Bessie Cunningham visited friends and relatives at Derby last week.

Walter O'Neal, of Louisville, arrived Sunday to visit friends and relatives.

W. H. Hickeyson's mother, of Stephensport, is visiting him this week.

George Frymire, of Louisville, is visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Frymire.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Mattingly, of Hardinsburg, are visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Mrs. J. E. Warren and sister, Miss Margaret Stallman, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brodie Sunday.

The dance given at Horace Manning's Saturday afternoon was quite a success and enjoyed by all who attended.

Richard Smith, of Wolf Creek, is building a new flat boat at this place and it will soon be completed. He will then lead it with lumber, produce, etc., and go south.

## LODIBURG.

Miss Georgia Swine visited Miss Annie Keys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Squires have returned to Owensboro, after a lengthy visit to her mother.

Rev. L. C. Arambright filled Rev. J. J. Willett's regular appointment at Walnut Grove Saturday and Sunday.

The spelling match at Walnut Grove was largely attended last Wednesday night and every one reports a pleasant time.

Marigolds.

Mrs. Catherine Snellman is slowly improving.

Miss Georgia A. Basham, of Missouri, is here for a visit.

Miss Nellie Cannon visited her mother, at Union Star Sunday.

Herbert Haddock, of Clifton Mills, was the guest of Miss Gertrude Keys Sunday.

J. H. Avitt and Elmore Dawson were at Brandenburg Monday on business.

Miss Nora Harrison is expected home to spend Thanksgiving with her parents.

Roll, Dan and Frank Miller, of Missouri, arrived here Sunday for a visit to their parents.

Miss Ethel Basham and Mrs. Ida Nottingham were at Stephensport Monday shopping.

J. H. Avitt sold two young mules last week to Wm. Baskett for the handsome price of \$350.

## IRVINGTON.

Dr. Moreman's mother spent last week with him.

Master Harry Smith is quite sick with pneumonia.

F. B. Lyons spent several days in Louisville last week.

Dr. W. H. Wimp, of Stephensport, spent Sunday with his parents.

Miss Evalin Herndon went to Louisville last week for an indefinite stay.

Dr. A. M. Haddaway is here this week for the practice of dentistry.

Mrs. Jesse Hermon returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit in Louisville.

Rev. E. W. Graves is conducting a series of sermons at Pleasant Grove.

Miss Ethel Coniff, of Louisville, is the guest of H. H. Kemper and sister.

Miss Minnie Basham, of Vine Grove, is the guest of Miss Cecil Spradlin.

Miss Emma Lou Moreman, of Glendene, spent Sunday with Mrs. F. D. Dempster.

Mrs. Kate Washington is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Major, in Louisville.

A. W. Moreman and son, Joe, of Brandenburg, spent Sunday with Dr. Lon Moreman.

Misses Bertha and Clara Hook, of Hardinsburg, are with Miss Ruth Miller for a week.

# BABY'S AWFUL ITCHING ECZEMA

Sores All Over Face and Body—  
Could Not Tell What She Looked  
Like—Unable to Sleep—Grew  
Worse Under Doctors.

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A grateful mother, in the following letter, tells of another of those marvellous cures by Cuticura. "When my baby was four months old her skin broke out with a humor. I took her to a doctor, who said it was eczema. He gave me medicine to give her, but she kept getting worse all the time. Her little face and body were so covered with sores and large scales you could not tell what she looked like. I could not ever had a worse case. Her face was being eaten away, and even her hands began to fall off. It itched so she could not sleep, and for many weary nights we could get no rest. At last we got Cuticura Soap and Ointment, first bathing her in warm water with the Soap, and then spreading on the Ointment with soft cloths. I saw a change in a week. The sores began to heal, and she could sleep at night, and in one month she had not one sore on her face or body. Any mother having children with eczema or humors will find a friend in Cuticura Soap and Ointment. (Signed) Mrs. Mary Sanders, 309 Spring St., Camden, N. J., Aug. 14, 1905.

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Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are sold everywhere. Get the "Big Book" for "How to Cure Baby Humors" and "How to Cure Skin Diseases."

Miss Lucile Cunningham will spend Thanksgiving with Miss Julia McGuffin in Louisville.

Miss Oliver, Fallon and Chas. Fallon, of Owensboro, visited their brother, J. M. Fallon Sunday.

Rev. A. Paul Bagby, of Louisville, filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

H. H. Anderson, of the Rock Island Lot and Land Co., of Louisville, was in town last Sunday.

H. H. Kemper entertained a few of his friends Saturday evening in honor of his guests, Misses Coniff and Kemper.

The remains of D. H. Wilson were brought over from Harned Sunday morning and buried in Cedar Hill cemetery by the Masons.

## HARDINSBURG.

County court last Monday.

R. A. Miller, of Owensboro, was in the city Sunday.

Hon. D. C. Moorman, of Glendene, was in the city Monday.

Judge Matthias Miller went to Louisville Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Robertson were visitors in Louisville last week.

Miss Joel H. Ple entered the Firstville Club Saturday.

Miss Nellie Moorman, of Glendene, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joel H. Ple.

Mrs. R. F. McIntyre returned home Saturday from a visit to Louisville.

Col. E. L. Robertson, of Glendene, was the guest of friends here Sunday.

John Flood and John O'Reilly will put up tobacco in T. J. Hook's warehouse.

Mrs. Morris H. Beard has returned home from a visit to relatives at Cloverport.

Tom and Hayden Basham, of Clifton Mills, were in town Monday on a business trip.

Dr. J. D. Walsh, of Louisville, preached at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

R. H. Penick, of Ouster, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ode Penick last week.

The Rev. and Mrs. Dan Shacklette were the guests of Mrs. J. T. Kingston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gregory, of Garfield, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. McGill Friday.

Miss Jennie Green, of Falls of Burgin, was the guest of Miss Minnie Murray last week.

Miss May Dempster, of Glendene, was the guest of Gen. and Mrs. D. R. Murray Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Rice, of Campbellville, are the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. G. S. King.

Oscar Burch and family leave this week for Kewanee, Ill., where they will reside in the future.

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John L. Miller, John Morris and John Priest, of Big Spring, were in the city the first of the week.

Brook Norton and family, of the Garfield neighborhood, will move to San Diego, Cal., December 10.

T. J. Hook and C. T. McClanahan, of Cloverport, were at McDaniels a few days of last week on a business trip.

Prof. Collins, after a month's visit to relatives in Indiana, has resumed his position as principal of the high school.

Miss Rosa Lou Ditto entertained Saturday evening in honor of Misses Neil Moorman and May Dempster, of Glendene.

The Rev. P. C. Davall, of Vine Grove, will preach the sermon at the union Thanksgiving services to be held at the M. E. church, Thursday.

## GARFIELD.

Uncle Burrell Whitworth is no better, Owensboro this week.

Hawkins and Virgil Smith are in Owensboro this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Richardson visited relatives at Hardinsburg Sunday.

S. C. Black will leave for Oklahoma in a few weeks for an indefinite stay.

L. D. Gregory, of Louisville, was a guest of his brother, Thos. Gregory, last week.

Charles Payne is a jurymen at Owensboro this week in the United States court.

James Morehead, a photographer from Louisville, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. F. M. Beard.

Virgil Priest, who has been in bad health for some time, is not so well at this writing.

Edgar Carman's baby died Saturday and was buried Sunday at the Carman grave yard.

Misses Maud Bullock and Blanche Whitworth are visitors of Miss Lucy McCoy this week.

Taylor Payne, who has been home on a furlough, has returned to his post of duty at Fort Thomas.

Several of the Masons from here attended the burial of Hardin Wilson at Brandenburg Sunday.

Owen Gilliswater and Miss Missa Bandy were guests of her sister, Mrs. Mary Bandy, Sunday.

Finch Norton and family, accompanied by his mother, will move to California in the near future.

Miss Nola Board and her guest, Mrs. Gola Weatherford, are visiting Mrs. Robt. Weatherford at Harned.

Protracted meeting began at the Presbyterian church Monday night conducted by Rev. N. G. Cundiff and Rev. Barber, of Owensboro.

## BIG SPRING.

Dr. Strother and John Meador were at Ekaros Friday on business.

A little girl made her appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Griffith, Nov. 17.

R. E. Craycroft is having a nice two-story dwelling erected on one of his farms for his son, Lum.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardin, of Elizabethtown, was here and spent a few days with his mother, last week.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give a 6 o'clock dinner here at the schoolhouse on Thanksgiving, for the benefit of the church.

Mrs. W. H. Strother and Miss Zelma Strother went to Brandenburg Wednesday to remain over until Tuesday the guests of Mrs. Geo. Casperke and other relatives and friends.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Strother were in Elizabethtown last Tuesday. Dr. Strother was there to attend a call meeting of the physicians of Hardin county on a special business meeting.

The Ladies Aid Society was entertained at Sunday evening, November 18, by Mrs. John H. Meador and her daughter, Miss Daisy. It was one of the

# Many Persons Have Catarrh of Kidney Or Catarrh of Bladder and Don't Know

President Newhof and War  
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Promptly Cured By Pe-ru-na.

Mr. C. B. Newhof, 10 Delaware street, Albany, N. Y., President Monticello Club, writes:

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medicaments of the season and they realized \$75. The house was beautifully decorated and the lunch was quite delicious and tempting. All felt their time was well spent.

## MATTINGLY.

Mrs. J. E. Brickey is seriously ill at this writing.

Mrs. Herbert Tinius has been sick for several days.

Remus Pate and family have moved to Cloverport.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hambleton have moved to Cloverport.

Rev. Jones, of Pellville, preached here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Dunn, of Cloverport, is visiting Mrs. Will Lynch for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hawkins and children visited relatives at Cloverport Sunday.

Alfred Hawkins and M. E. Hambleton went to Hardinsburg Saturday on business.

Misses Lena Hawkins and Ida Walls, accompanied by Charles Pate and Otis Taul, attended church at Hites Run Sunday.

Mrs. Miriam Moorman, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hambleton, has returned to her home at Vanzant.



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Miss Milissa Mattingly, who turned home after spending for night with the family of her uncle Rich Mattingly, near Cloverport.

Miss Mayne Seaton gave a box supper Friday night at her school house. The proceeds will be used in repairing the house.

Many Spud Sellers Sentenced.

Federal court for this district was in session at Owensboro Monday.

The following persons, among whom are quite a number from this county entered pleas of guilty to selling whiskey without having paid the special tax and were given thirty days in the Davies county jail and fined \$100 William Cunningham, Jr., Irvin Cummins, Claude H. Conway, Harrison Fisher, William Hazelwood, Samue Pool, Thomas Skiggs, Fred Woolley, William Skeeters, James Miller, alias James Muller, Thomas Medsall, James Hampton, Philip Brown, Jack Rawley, George Campbell, William Davidson and James Scribbling.

J. B. Smith and Lewis Payne, of Hardinsburg, served on the grand jury and C. D. Payne, of Harned and Roscoe Eckridge, of Hardinsburg, on the petit jury.

Slaton to be Tried Today.

Hardinsburg, Ky., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Chief Slaton will be tried tomorrow for killing Sargent Beard, at Rosetta, on November 18, on the charge of manslaughter.

# CHRISTMAS

## Mr. Merchant!

Christmas buyers are already in the market. Are you getting your part of their trade? If not, it is your fault. The columns of the News are read in nearly every home in Breckenridge county. The ads are read, too, and hence, where you will profit, dollar for dollar, if you send us advertising. Start in next week for Christmas! Write me.—Jno. D. Babbage, Breckenridge News, Cloverport, Ky.

